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AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Bruce E. Stevens, et al.
 App. No : 10/756,892
 Filed : January 14, 2004
 For : LOCKING PLATE FOR BONE ANCHORS
 Examiner : David Owen Reip
 Art Unit : 3731

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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November 15, 2005

(Date)

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Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- (X) Amendment in 7 pages.
- (X) Information Disclosure Statement along with Form PTO/SB/08 listing 49 references.
- (X) Enclosing two references.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Excess Claims	34 - 56 = 0	2202 (\$25)	0 x 25 =	\$0
Excess Independent	3 - 4 = 0	2201 (\$100)	0 x 100 =	\$0
3 Month Extension	1.17(a)(3)	2253 (\$510)		\$510.00
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$510.00

- (X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.
- (X) A check in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.

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- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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